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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of the United States Patent and Trademark Office mailed on August 30, 2006, the time for reply to which extending to and including November 30, 2006, Applicants respectfully request consideration and entry of the following revisions and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

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